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# Annual Reports

OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TOWN TREASURER  
TOWN CLERK  
AND  
SCHOOL BOARD  
OF THE TOWN OF

## Hampton Falls

NEW HAMPSHIRE

For The  
Year Ending January 31

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# TOWN OFFICERS

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## Officers Chosen for Year 1933

### TOWN CLERK

James H. Brown

### SELECTMEN

Wallace H. Batchelder

Carlton S. Edgerly

John D. Fogg

### TOWN TREASURER

Louis B. Janvrin

### COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Archibald Lantz

### SCHOOL BOARD

James Elton

Blanche Batchelder

Edwin L. Janvrin

### SCHOOL TREASURER

Louis B. Janvrin

### TOWN AUDITORS

Walter W. Coombs

Arthur W. Chase

Laurence E. Wadleigh

Chosen at the November Election

### MODERATOR

James H. Thurlow

### SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Arthur W. Chase

Walter A. Ladd

Oliver H. Akerman

### REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT

Forrest B. Creighton

# TOWN WARRANT

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## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hampton Falls in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Hampton Falls on Tuesday, the Fourteenth (14) day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$186.35, and the state will contribute \$745.41, to be spent on the Cock Hill Road under Class V Aid.
4. To raise and appropriate for the issuance and distribution of printed matter and otherwise publicizing the resources and natural advantages of the town in co-operation with other towns coordinated in the Seacoast Regional Development Association, the sum of \$69.00.
5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the control of the Elm Leaf Beetle and other leaf-eating insects along our Highways.

6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$25.00, to be matched by an equal State amount, to purchase hand tools for the Forest Fire Warden (shovel, fire-rakes, etc.).

7. To raise and appropriate Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for the purpose of widening the road to fourteen feet (14 ft.) from Fogg's Corner to Ram's Hill, and oil the same, and enlarge the culvert. By request of Fred Trafton and eight others.

8. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen power to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

9. To raise and appropriate \$150.00 to be spent on present sidewalk on Hampton Road.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 27th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

WALLACE H. BATCHELDER,  
CARLETON S. EDGERLY,  
JOHN D. FOGG,

Selectmen of Hampton Falls.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

WALLACE H. BATCHELDER,  
CARLETON S. EDGERLY,  
JOHN D. FOGG,

Selectmen of Hampton Falls.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS  
AND EXPENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR ENDING  
JANUARY 31, 1939

	Appropriation	Expend.	Unex. Bal.	Overdraft
Town Officers'				
Salaries	\$ 850.00	\$ 985.95	\$	\$135.95
Town Officers'				
Expenses	250.00	335.38		85.38
Election and				
Registration	170.00	166.64	3.36	
Expenses Town Hall &				
Town Buildings	275.00	323.98		48.98
Police Department	100.00	60.20	39.80	
Fire Department	100.00	54.05	45.95	
Health Department	20.00	32.60		12.60
Highway Town				
Maintenance	2,500.00	2,530.40		30.40
Street Lighting	175.00	171.19	3.81	
Snow Removal	500.00	428.26	71.74	
Tarvia	1,000.00	992.53	7.47	
Welfare Town Poor	350.00	231.50	118.50	
Memorial Day	25.00	25.25		.25
Care Town Clock	25.00	25.00		
Parks and Playgrounds	50.00	105.13		55.13
Cemeteries	80.00	90.20		10.20
Interest on Tem-				
porary Loans	100.00	35.84	64.16	
Class V on Cock				
Hill Road	185.88	185.88		
Hampton				
Tercentenary	100.00	140.54		40.54
Cistern at town hall	150.00	203.75		53.75
Sidewalk L'fay'tte Rd.	100.00	180.17		80.17
State Tax	1,428.00	1,428.00		
County Tax	3,412.32	3,412.32		
	\$11,946.20	\$12,144.76	\$354.79	\$553.35

Total Overdraft \$198.56

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing

Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the

Actual Revenue Previous Year 1938	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1939
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**SOURCES OF REVENUE**

**From State:**

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1,725.32	\$1,500.00
Insurance Tax	163.58	160.00
Railroad Tax	236.04	235.00
Savings Bank Tax	156.80	140.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	4.29	

**From Local Sources Except Taxes:**

Interest Rec'd on Taxes and Deposits	212.72	150.00
Dog Licenses	141.36	
Registration of town officers	8.00	
Primary Fee	2.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	856.03	800.00

**From Local Taxes Other Than**

**Property Taxes:**

Sale of Gasoline	13.50
Sale of South School	300.00
Sale of Desks of South School	10.00
Sale of Stove of South School	5.00
Interest on Tax Sale Redeemed	47.86
Expense on Tax Sale Redeemed	2.13
Sale of Willis Brown Place	462.28



## HAMPTON FALLS, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940, Compared with  
Previous Year February 1, 1938 to January 31, 1939

Actual Expendi- tures Previous Year 1938	Estimated Expendi- tures Ensuing Year 1939
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### PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

##### General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$985.95	\$850.00
Town Officers' Expenses	335.38	350.00
Election and Registration Expenses	166.64	40.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other		
Town Buildings	323.98	300.00

##### Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	60.20	100.00
Fire Department	54.05	200.00
Dog Damage	2.00	

##### Health:

Health Dept., including hospitals	32.60	20.00
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##### Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance	2,530.40	2,500.00
Street Lighting	171.19	175.00
General Expense of Highway		
Department—Snow	428.26	500.00
Tarvia	992.53	1,200.00
From Surplus Fund	1,757.93	

**Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds  
or Notes:**

Temporary Loans	3,000.00	
Cash on Hand (Surplus)	2,710.22	
Tax Sales Redeemed	608.38	
TOTAL REVENUES FROM		
ALL SOURCES EXCEPT	10,674.51	2,985.00
PROPERTY TAXES		
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED		
BY PROPERTY TAXES	18,433.95	18,380.00
TOTAL REVENUES	\$29,108.46	\$21,365.00

**Public Welfare:**

Town Poor	56.00	700.00
Old Age Assistance	175.50	

**Patriotic Purposes:**

Decorating Monument	14.22	
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	25.25	25.00
Town Clock	25.00	25.00
Tercentenary Expenses	140.54	

**Recreation:**

Parks and Playgrounds, including band concerts	105.13	100.00
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**Public Service Enterprises:**

Cemeteries	90.20	80.00
Legal Expenses	270.67	100.00

**Interest:**

On Temporary Loans	35.84	100.00
Taxes Bought by Town	743.85	

**Outlay for New Construction and  
Permanent Improvement****Highways and Bridges:**

State Aid Construction— Town's Share: Class V	266.39	
Sidewalk Construction	180.17	
Cistern	203.75	

**Indebtedness:****Payment on Principal of Debt:**

Temporary Loans	3,000.00	
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**Payments to Other Governmental  
Divisions:**

State Taxes	1,428.00	1,500.00
County Taxes	3,412.32	3,500.00
Payments to School Districts	10,424.57	9,000.00
Cash on Hand	669.95	

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$29,108.46	\$21,365.00
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# INVENTORY

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Lands and Buildings	\$684,915.00
Electric Plants	33,570.00
Horses, 50	4,535.00
Cows, 266	18,245.00
Other Neat Stock, 35	1,865.00
Goats, 2	50.00
Fowls, 4,980	4,980.00
Broilers, 1,265	562.00
Portable Mills, 1	500.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	6,600.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 15	1,260.00
Stock in Trade	13,200.00
Aqueducts	175.00
Poll, 321 @ \$2, Total poll taxes \$642.00	
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TOTAL VALUATION	770,457.00
Total, exclusive of Soldiers exemptions	
and exemption to blind	763,738.00
Amount of taxes to be committed to collector,	
including poll taxes and national bank stock taxes 17,797.00	
Average rate per cent of taxation for all purposes 23.30	
Amount exempted to soldiers	6,719.00

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## FINANCIAL REPORT

Of the Town of Hampton Falls in Rockingham County  
For the Fiscal Year Ended January 31, 1939

### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date—Feb. 20, 1939.

WALLACE H. BATCHELDER,  
CARLETON S. EDGERLY,  
JOHN D. FOGG,

Selectmen.

LOUIS B. JANVRIN,  
Treasurer.

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Town of Hampton Falls

BALANCE

ASSETS

**Cash:**

In hands of treasurer \$669.95

**Accounts Due to the Town:**

Property owned by Town 400.00

**Uncollected Taxes:**

(a) Levy of 1938 4,297.82

**Total Assets**

\$5,367.77

Net Surplus, January 31, 1938 \$1,940.51

Net Surplus, January 31, 1939 1,315.91

Decrease of Surplus

\$624.60

## LIABILITIES

**Accounts Owed by the Town:**

Due to School Districts:

(a) Dog licenses \$ 139.36

(b) Balance of Appropriation  
and transportation 3,912.50

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**Total Liabilities** \$4,051.86

Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus) 1,315.91

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**Grand Total** 5,367.77

**UNIFORM**

Town of Hampton Falls

RECEIPTS AND

## RECEIPTS

**Current Revenue****From Local Taxes:**

Total taxes committed	
to collector, 1938	\$18,413.60
Less discounts and	
abatements, 1938	116.83
Less uncollected, 1938	4,297.82

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Property taxes, current	
year, actually collected	\$13,998.95
Total of current year's collections	\$13,998.95
Property and poll taxes, previous	
years, actually collected	4,435.00
Tax sales redeemed	608.38

**From State:**

Interest and dividend tax	1,725.32
Insurance tax	163.58
Railroad tax	236.04
Savings bank tax	156.80
Fighting forests fires	4.29

**From Local Sources, Except Taxes:**

Dog Licenses	141.36
Interest received on taxes	212.72
Registration Town officers	8.00
Primary registration fee	2.00
Registration of motor vehicles,	
1938 Permits	865.03

**Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:**

Temporary loans in anticipation of	
taxes during year	3,000.00
Sale of gasoline	13.50
Sale of South School	300.00



## CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended January 31, 1939

### PAYMENTS

#### **Current Maintenance Expenses:**

##### **General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$985.95
Town officers' expenses	335.38
Election and registration expenses	166.64
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	323.98

##### **Protection of Persons and Property:**

Police department, including care of tramps	60.20
Fire department, including forest fires	54.05
Damage by dogs	2.00

##### **Health:**

Health department, including hospitals	32.60
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##### **Highways and Bridges:**

Tarvia	992.53
From surplus fund	1,757.93
Town Maintenance	2,530.40
Street lighting and sprinkling	171.19
Snow	428.26

##### **Charities:**

Old age assistance	175.50
Town poor	56.00

##### **Patriotic Purposes:**

Decorating Monument	14.22
Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	25.25
Town clock	25.00
Tercentenary expenses	140.54

##### **Recreation:**

Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	105.13
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# RECEIPTS—Continued

Sale of desks from South School	10.00
Sale of stove from South School	5.00
Interest on tax sale redeemed	47.86
Expenses on tax sale redeemed	2.13
Sale of Willis Brown place	462.28
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Total Receipts From All Sources	\$26,398.24
Cash on hand February 1, 1938	2,710.22
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Grand Total	\$29,108.46

# PAYMENTS—Continued

## **Public Service Enterprises:**

Legal expenses	270.67
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	90.20

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Total Current Maintenance Expenses 8,743.62

## **Interest:**

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	35.84
Taxes bought by Town	743.85

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Total Interest Payments 779.69

## **Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:**

Highways and Bridges—State Aid construction, Class V	266.39
Sidewalk construction	180.17
Cistern Town Hall	203.75

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Total Outlay Payments 650.31

## **Indebtedness:**

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	3,000.00
Total Indebtedness Payments	3,000.00

## **Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

Taxes paid to State	1,428.00
Taxes paid to County	3,412.32
Payments to School Districts	10,424.57

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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions 15,264.89

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Total Payments for all Purposes 28,438.51

Cash on hand January 31, 1939 669.95

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Grand Total \$29,108.46

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1938

Number Auto permits issued, 237		
Automobile tax collected	\$865.03	
Paid Treasurer		\$865.03
Number Dog Licenses issued, 63		
Total amount collected		\$160.66
Paid for tags and blanks	\$7.50	
Fees for issuing	11.80	
	<hr/>	19.30
Paid Treasurer		<hr/> \$141.36
Town Officer's Registration fees	\$8.00	
Paid Treasurer		\$8.00
Primary Registration fee	\$2.00	
Paid Treasurer		\$2.00
A true copy from the records.		
Attest:		

JAMES H. BROWN, Town Clerk.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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February 1939

Uncollected Taxes for Year 1937

Balance uncollected Feb. 5th 1938		\$77.25
Amount abated	\$37.25	
Remittance to Treasurer	40.00	
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H. EARL OSBORNE,

Tax Collector, Hampton Falls.

# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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## 1937 TAX

Dr.

Uncollected list Jan. 31, 1938	\$4,477.61
Added tax	6.22
Interest collected	206.07

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\$4,689.90

Cr.

Paid Treasurer	\$4,601.07
Abated	88.83

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\$4,689.90

ARCHIBALD LANTZ,  
Collector.

Tax Collector's Report for year ending January 31, 1939

Dr.

Amount of warrant	\$18,413.60
Interest collected	6.65

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\$18,420.25

Cr.

Paid Treasurer	\$14,005.60
Abated	116.83
Uncollected list	4,297.82

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\$18,420.25

ARCHIBALD LANTZ,  
Collector.

TAX SALES FOR LEVY OF 1937  
BOUGHT BY TOWN

Estate of Charles I. Akerman	\$67.91
Willis F. Brown	78.91
George E. Felker	17.58
Carl A. Myers	32.30
Herman Pearson	113.15
Estate of John E. Sanborn	181.67
Fred A. Trafton	144.29
Percy S. Weare	91.81

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\$727.62

**TAX SALES REDEEMED**

Carl A. Myer, 1937, Tax and Expense	\$34.34
Herman Pearson, 1937, Tax and Expense	113.92
Est. of John Sanborn, 1937, Tax and Expense	190.45
Percy S. Weare, 1935, Tax and Expense	100.05
Percy S. Weare, 1936, Tax and Expenses	108.74
Percy S. Weare, 1937, Tax and Expense	96.81
J. B. Greeley, 1935, Tax and Expense	3.58
J. B. Greeley, 1936, Tax and Expense	3.53
Elbridge Stevens, 1935, Tax and Expense	3.50
Elbridge Stevens, 1936, Tax and Expense	3.45

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\$658.37

# TREASURER'S REPORT

## AND EXPENDITURES

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### RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1938	\$2,710.22
Taxes Collected 1936	40.00
Taxes Collected 1937	4,395.00
Taxes Collected 1938	13,998.95
Interest on taxes	212.72
Registration on Motor Vehicles	865.03
Dog licenses	141.36
Charles Green, Gasoline	13.50
Town Officers' Registration fee	8.00
Primary Registration fee	2.00
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	3000.00
Sale of South School	300.00
Sale of South School Desk	10.00
Sale of South School Stove	5.00
State of New Hampshire Forest fire refund	4.29
State of New Hampshire Insurance tax	163.58
State of New Hampshire Railroad tax	236.04
State of New Hampshire Savings Bank tax	156.80
State of New Hampshire Interest and Dividend tax	1,725.32
Tax Sale Redeemed	608.38
Interest on tax sale redeemed	47.86
Expense of tax sale redeemed	2.13
Sale of Willis Brown Place	462.28
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	\$29,108.46

## PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries	\$985.95
Town officers' expenses	335.38
Election and registration expense	166.64
Town Hall Expense	323.98
Police Department	60.20
Fire Department	54.05
Dog Damage	2.00
Health Department	32.60
Tarvia	992.53
Culverts from Town surplus	1,757.93
Town Maintenance	2,530.40
Street lighting	171.19
Snow	428.26
Old age assistance	175.50
Town poor	56.00
Decorating Monument	14.22
Memorial Day	25.25
Town Clock	25.00
Tercentenary Expense	140.54
Parks	105.13
Legal Expense	270.67
Cemeteries	90.20
Interest on temporary loans	35.84
Taxes bought by Town	743.85
Construction Class V Roads	266.39
Sidewalk	180.17
Cistern Town Hall	203.75
Short term notes	3,000.00
State tax	1,428.00
County tax	3,412.32
Schools	10,424.57
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	\$28,438.51
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1939	669.95
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	\$29,108.46

LOUIS B. JANVRIN, Town Treasurer.



# AUDITORS' GENERAL REPORT

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We, the undersigned auditors have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds, Tax Collector and Library Treasurer, and find them well vouched and correctly cast, with balances as therein stated.

LAURENCE E. WADLEIGH,  
WALTER W. COMBS,  
ARTHUR W. CHASE,

Auditors.

February 8, 1939

# STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

1938

1. Town officers' salaries	\$850.00
2. Town officers' expenses	250.00
3. Election and registration expenses	170.00
5. Town hall	275.00
6. Police department	100.00
7. Fire department	100.00
9. Health department	20.00
11. State Aid—Class V	185.88
14. Town maintenance	2,500.00
15. For Tarvia	1,000.00
16. Sidewalk Lafayette Road	100.00
17. Water System, Town Hall	150.00
18. Hampton Tercentenary	100.00
19. Street lighting	175.00
20. General expenses of highway dept.-Snow Removal	500.00
27. Old age assistance {	
28. Town poor }	350.00
29. Memorial Day	25.00
30. Parks and playgrounds, incl. band concerts	50.00
31. Care of Town Clock	25.00
32. Cemeteries	80.00
34. Interest	100.00
36. State Tax	1,428.00
37. County Tax	3,412.32
38. School Tax	9,012.50

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Total Town and School Appropriations \$20,958.70

Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:

Interest and Dividend Tax	\$1,709.95
Insurance Tax	160.00
Railroad Tax	290.00
Savings Bank Tax	175.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	800.00

Interest on Taxes	150.00	
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	3,284.95	3,284.95
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		17,673.75
Plus overlay		765.25
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Net amount to be raised by taxation		18,439.00
Less Poll Taxes	642.00	642.00
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Amount to be raised by Property Taxes		\$17,797.00
on which town tax rate is figured		
Taxes to be Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	\$17,797.00	
Poll Taxes	642.00	
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Total Taxes to be Committed		
to Collector	\$18,439.00	

## Selectmen's Report On Expenditures

### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation	\$850.00
Overdraft	135.95

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\$985.95

James H. Brown, Town Clerk Services	\$89.85
James H. Brown, Issuing Auto Permits	61.75
Carleton S. Edgerly, Selectman	158.80
John D. Fogg, Selectman	113.50
Wallace H. Batchelder, Selectman	315.05
Louis B. Janvrin, Treasurer	100.00
Archibald Lantz, Tax Collector	143.00
Percy S. Weare	4.00

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\$985.95

### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$250.00
Overdraft	85.38

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\$335.38

Hampton Publishing Co., Printing	108.75
Mildred E. Chase, repairing add machine	6.75
Edson C. Eastman Co., Supplies	36.23
Russell P. Merrill, Supplies	3.75
James H. Page, Officers Bonds	40.00
Ass'n of N. H. Assessors, Fee	2.00
Frank B. Nay, Recording	.30
Victor Adding Machine Co., Adding Machine	125.00
John W. A. Green, Records & Transfers	8.60
H. Ralph Guysler	4.00

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\$335.38

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

H. Ralph Guysler, Ballot Inspector	8.00
Frank H. Fogg, Ballot Inspector	12.00
Percy S. Weare, Ballot Inspector	8.00
H. P. Brown, Ballot Inspector	12.00
Arthur W. Chase, Supervisor	40.00
Oliver H. Akerman, Supervisor	40.00
Walter A. Ladd, Supervisor	34.00
James H. Thurlow, Moderator	12.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., Warrants	.64

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\$166.64

## CARE OF TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Arthur W. Brown, Supplies	5.47
E. & H. Electric Co., Lights	24.96
Percy S. Weare, Wood	25.00
Charles McQuillin, Repairs of Flag Pole	5.00
John M. Irving, Labor	7.20
Clarence E. Smith, Labor	4.00
Russell P. Merrill, Supplies	.90
William M. Blake, Painting	47.00
George W. Pond, Hauling Wood	17.50
James H. Brown, Insurance	50.00
Paul E. Batchelder, Sawing Wood	8.75
Myron L. Brown, Labor	14.40
Wallace H. Batchelder, Supplies	17.30
B. T. Janvrin Sons, Co., Lumber	41.90
W. A. Young, Supplies	2.10
Ray C. Elkins, Janitor	52.50

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\$323.98

### POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$100.00	
Balance	39.80	
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		\$60.20
Arthur W. Chase	\$56.70	
Hampton Publishing Co., Printing	3.50	
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		\$60.20

### FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$100.00	
Balance	45.95	
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		\$54.05
Exeter Fire Dept., Services	\$37.00	
Russell P. Merrill, Supplies	1.00	
Lincoln H. Akerman Labor	6.40	
W. R. Trafton, Forrest Fires	9.65	
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		\$54.05

### DOG ACCOUNT

H. P. Brown, Services	\$2.00
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### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$20.00	
Overdraft	12.60	
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		\$32.60
Arthur W. Chase, Health Officer		\$32.60

### STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation	\$175.00
Balance, (deduction because of storm)	3.81

	\$171.19
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	\$171.19

### PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation	\$350.00
Balance	118.50

	\$231.50
J. H. Weare, groceries	\$15.00
Rockingham County Commissioners	
Town Share of Old Age	60.00
State of New Hampshire	
Town Share of Old Age	100.50
Bertha S. Graves, room & meals for poor	21.80
Paul E. Batchelder, Hauling Wood	3.00
William A. Pressey, Services	10.00
Wallace H. Batchelder, Services & Expense	21.20
	\$231.50

### MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	\$25.00
Overdraft	.25

	\$25.25
Walter A. Ladd, Services	\$3.50
Willard Emery, Flowers	17.25
G. C. Rundlett, Flags	4.50
	\$25.25

### CARE OF TOWN CLOCK

Appropriation	\$25.00	
Amount spent	25.00	
David Batchelder, care of clock		\$25.00

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### PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Appropriation	\$50.00	
Overdraft	55.13	
		\$105.13
John M. Irving, Labor	\$62.60	
Russell P. Merrill, Supplies	2.03	
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., Supplies	8.10	
W. A. Young, Supplies	7.80	
Charles McQuillin, Repairs on Flag Pole	15.00	
H. P. Brown, Labor	2.40	
Carleton S. Edgerly, Truck	7.20	
		\$105.13

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### TARVIA

Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Balance	7.47	
		\$992.53
Russell P. Merrill, Truck	\$15.00	
Guy Chase, Truck	25.20	
Paul Batchelder, Truck	31.50	
Geo. Pond, Truck	34.80	
C. S. Edgerly, Loader	38.50	
A. W. Elkins, Labor	25.00	



Dean McLaughlin, Labor	20.40
John Doyle, Labor	19.60
James Davidson, Labor	19.60
H. P. Brown, Labor	8.00
Sam Creighton, Labor	19.20
Ralph Inglis, Labor	10.80
Willard Russell, Labor	11.20
George Avins, Labor	4.20
C. H. Smith, Labor	11.20
Clarence Smith, Labor	2.40
Trimount Bituminous Products Co.	680.73

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\$992.53

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FROM SURPLUS FUND AS VOTED

Amount Spent	\$1,757.93
N. E. Road Equipment Co., Culverts	\$1,089.18
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., Lumber	34.47
Adams & Brown, Lumber	3.48
Paul E. Batchelder, Truck	24.10
Russell P. Merrill, Truck	129.60
Geo. W. Pond, Truck	48.00
A. W. Elkins, Labor	96.50
Dean McLaughlin, Labor	76.60
Ralph Inglis, Labor	62.40
John Batchelder, Labor	28.80
Follis Wall, Labor	36.00
Geo. Avins, Labor	24.00
Sam Creighton, Labor	25.60
H. Knowles, Labor	19.20
William Scoones, Labor	31.60
Clarence Smith, Labor	18.80
H. P. Brown, Labor	9.60

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\$1,757.93

# SIDEWALK

Appropriation	\$100.00
Overdraft	80.17

\$180.17

Russell P. Merrill, Truck	\$36.00
Geo. Pond, Truck	3.75
Carleton S. Edgerly, Truck	3.75
A. W. Elkins, Labor	32.00
Ralph Inglis, Labor	14.40
Geo. Avins, Labor	8.00
Dean McLaughlin, Labor	10.80
Sam Creighton, Labor	10.80
John Batchelder, Labor	11.20
H. Knowles, Labor	11.20
H. P. Brown, Labor	8.00
Follis Wall, Labor	6.40
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., Lumber	5.71
Welch & Moynihan Co., Stone	18.16

\$180.17

# SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriation	\$500.00
Balance	71.74

\$428.26

Spent by C. W. Greene:

C. W. Greene, Truck	\$14.40
C. W. Greene, Labor	66.50
John Irving, Labor	28.50
Perley Ladd, Labor	14.50
John Cram, Labor	9.80
John Cram, Auto	.50

H. P. Brown, Labor	.60	
William Peavear, Labor	7.75	
Emmons Sanborn, Labor	3.20	
Carleton S. Edgerley, Labor	10.50	
Carleton S. Edgerley, Truck	8.40	
Carleton S. Edgerley, Telephone	.50	
C. W. Greene, Telephone	.50	
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		165.65
Other Payments:		
J. H. Weare, Gas	15.29	
James H. Page, Insurance	47.20	
Wilbur Jewell, Oil & Gas	43.95	
Paul E. Batchelder, Plowing	61.50	
W. A. Young, Supplies	32.80	
Hampton Center Garage	3.25	
Russell P. Merrill, Supplies	10.95	
Geo. Pond, removing snow fence	11.25	
P. I. Perkins, Tractor Parts	15.77	
Fred Harrison, Labor	20.75	
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		262.61
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		\$428.26

#### TOWN MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	\$2,500.00	
Overdraft	30.40	
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		\$2,530.40
Amount spent by A. W. Elkins:		
Russell P. Merrill, Truck	\$603.20	
Carleton S. Edgerly, Truck	108.00	
Geo. Pond, Truck	129.60	
Paul E. Batchelder, Truck	39.50	
Guy Chase, Truck	38.40	

A. W. Elkins, Labor	241.50
Geo. Avins, Labor	15.20
James Davidson, Labor	95.60
John S. Batchelder, Labor	7.60
John M. Irving, Labor	57.30
Sam Creighton, Labor	151.60
Edward Pevear, Labor	5.60
Clarence Smith, Labor	8.00
C. H. Smith, Labor	66.80
Follis Wall, Labor	34.00
Dean McLaughlin, Labor	119.60
H. P. Brown, Labor	78.00
Ralph Inglis, Labor	32.00
Hollis Knowles, Labor	6.80
Emmons Sanborn, Labor	6.60
J. Marshall Chase, Labor	3.20
Roger Thurlow, Labor	.80
John Doyle, Labor	109.20
William Irving, Labor	38.40
W. M. Russell, Labor	106.00
Willis Brown, Labor	7.60
John Cram, mowing roadside	30.00
Carleton S. Edgerly, Loader	31.50
Carleton S. Edgerly, Tractor	6.00
John D. Fogg, Team	12.00

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2,260.40

Other Payments:

James H. Page, Insurance	106.94
W. A. Young, Supplies	41.85
Hillard & Kimball Co., Supplies	1.00
State Highway Garage, Pipe	27.12
Charles Harrison, Labor	26.90
Russell P. Merrill, Supplies	5.04
R. G. Watkins & Sons Inc., Cleaning Gravel Pit	59.00

A. W. Elkins, Supplies	2.15	
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		\$2,530.40

#### TERCENTENARY EXPENSE

Appropriation	\$100.00	
Overdraft	40.54	
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Louis B. Janvrin, Expense	\$8.00	
Wallace Batchelder, Expense	19.13	
Hooker-Howe Costume Co., Costumes	27.00	
Edwin L. Janvrin, Pageant Expense	51.00	
Martha Batchelder, Float Expense	22.04	
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., Lumber for float	13.37	
	<hr/>	\$140.54

#### DECORATING MONUMENT

K. W. Swain, Labor	\$7.00	
E. & H. Electric Co., Lights	7.22	
	<hr/>	\$14.22

#### SPECIAL CISTERN

Appropriation	\$150.00	
Overdraft	53.75	
	<hr/>	\$203.75
John M. Irving Labor	\$12.40	
Clarence Smith, Labor	10.80	
Cecil R. Seavey, Construction of Cistern	133.20	

A. W. Brown, Pump and Labor	47.35
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\$203.75

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SCHOOL DISTRICT

Paid Louis B. Janvrin	\$10,424.57
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STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

Earl R. Stockbridge, County Tax	\$3,412.32
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Treasurer, State of N. H., State Tax	\$1,428.00
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INTEREST

Appropriation	\$100.00
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Balance	64.16
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\$35.84

New Hampshire National Bank	\$35.84
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PAYMENTS ON TEMPORARY LOANS

New Hampshire National Bank	\$3,000.00
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CEMETERIES

Appropriation	\$80.00
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Overdraft	10.20
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\$90.20

Carleton Edgerly, Truck	\$1.20
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John M. Irving, Labor	48.20
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Clarence Smith, Labor	40.80
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\$90.20

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STATE AID CONSTRUCTION CLASS V

State Share	\$743.54
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Town's Share	185.88
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\$929.42

Spent:

Carleton Edgerly, Loader	\$125.13
Carleton Edgerly, Truck	40.80
Russell P. Merrill, Truck	51.00
Guy Chase, Truck	57.00
Geo. Pond, Truck	90.00
Paul Batchelder, Truck	65.25
A. W. Elkins, Foreman	109.20
John M. Irving, Labor	58.60
E. Follis Wall, Labor	33.80
Dean McLaughlin, Labor	53.00
Samuel Creighton, Labor	63.00
Ralph W. Inglis, Labor	60.20
John S. Batchelder, Labor	38.60
George Avins, Labor	17.20
Hollis Knowles, Labor	34.80
Thomas Regan, Labor	12.80
Edward Pevear, Labor	5.60
Harry P. Brown, Labor	4.80
Wallace Batchelder, Labor	7.20

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\$927.98

Balance

1.44

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### COMPLETION 1937 STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

State Share	\$161.02
Town's Share	81.51

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\$241.53

American Tar	\$231.00
A. W. Elkins, Labor	3.25
John M. Irving, Labor	2.00
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., Lumber	5.28

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\$241.53

# TRUST FUNDS OF HAMPTON FALLS

## For The Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1938

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Jan. 6 1926	Mary Pickering Harris Fund	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co. ....	200.	2½ %	\$80.04	7.03	5.00	\$82.07
Nov. 27 1931	Care of Langdon Burial Lot	First National Bank, Portsmouth .....	100.	2	12.26	2.25	2.25	12.26
May 16 1933	Gertrude Sanborn Fund	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co. ....	2500.	2½ %		62.88	62.88	
May 16 1933	Care George B. Sanborn Burial Lot	Exeter Banking Co. ....						
May 16 1933	Oliver Fleming Fund	Savings Dept. Exeter .....	2500.	2½ %	\$63.69	\$63.69		
Dec. 6, 1934	Town Library and Care Burial Lot	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co. ....	150.	2½ %	3.75	3.75		
	Oliver Fleming Fund							
	Town Library and Care Burial Lot							
	Mary L. Wakeman Fund							
	Care of Burial Lot							

### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ARTHUR W. BROWN,  
LOUIS B. JANVRIN,  
JAMES H. BROWN,

Trustees.

December 31, 1938



## LEGAL EXPENSES

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### BATCHELDER AND WHEELER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW

#### To Professional Services:

- Mar. 21 Time in office with and advice to Mr. Batchelder re: officers' bonds.
- June 21 Advice to Mr. Lantz.
- Aug. 16 Time in Record Office looking up mortgagees re: tax sales, and drawing and mailing notices to same.
- Aug. 31 Drawing quitclaim deed to Drucilla H. Longergan.
- Oct. 26 Time in Record Office, looking up descriptions for Tax Collector's deeds, half-day, and time in Hampton Falls with Mr. Fogg.
- Oct. 27 Drawing Tax Collector's deeds of Willis F. Brown, George E. Felker, Grace L. Brown, Estate of Edgar Ordway and Mrs. Herbert L. Dow properties, and time in Hampton Falls with Mr. Batchelder re: Tax Collector's deeds, and time in office obtaining descriptions for bill to quiet title.
- Oct. 28 Drawing bills in equity to quiet title re: Willis F. Brown, Grace L. Brown and George E. Felker properties.
- Nov. 1 Time in office with Mr. and Mrs. Willis F. Brown re: bills to quiet title.
- Nov. 2 Time in Hampton Falls with Mr. Brown and Mr. Batchelder re insurance on Willis F. Brown property. Drawing computation of Grace L. Brown.

Nov. 3	Time in Hampton Falls to see Mr. Batchelder re: Grace L. Brown.	
Nov. 14	Time in Hampton Falls with Mr. Batchelder and drawing deed from Town to Drucilla H. Longergan of School house property (2 parcels).	
Nov. 23	Time in Hampton Falls to see Mr. Batchelder.	
Dec. 5	Time in office with Mr. Van Horne and Mr. Felker.	
		<hr/> \$225.00

To Cash Paid Out:

Aug. 16	Paid for registering notice to mortgagees of tax sales	\$0.82
Oct. 26	14 miles travel	1.40
Oct. 27	14 miles travel	1.40
Oct. 28	Paid for recording Tax Collector's deeds to Town of Willis F. Brown, George E. Felker, Grace L. Brown, Estate of Edgar Ordway and Mrs. Herbert L. Dow properties	6.25
Oct. 31	Paid sheriff's fees on Willis F. Brown bill in equity	7.60
Oct. 31	Paid sheriff's fees on Grace L. Brown bill in equity.	6.20
Oct. 31	Paid sheriff's fees on George E. Felker bill in equity.	3.80
Nov. 2	14 miles travel	1.40
Nov. 2	Paid Rockingham Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, premium on insurance on Willis F. Brown property	2.00
Nov. 3	14 miles travel	1.40
Nov. 14	14 miles travel	1.40

Nov. 23	14 miles travel	1.40
	Paid for Felker entry fee and orders of notice	3.20
	Paid for Brown (Grace L.) entry fee and orders of notice	4.20
	Paid for Wills F. Brown entry fee and orders of notice	3.20
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		\$270.67

## LIBRARY REPORT

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Cash on hand	\$24.87	
Rec'd from Trust Fund	120.82	
Rec'd from Historical Society	39.29	
		\$184.98
Cash paid for books	\$93.50	
Librarian's salary	40.00	
Improvement grounds	10.00	
Wood	2.00	
Cleaning staining and waxing floor	5.00	
Cash on hand	34.48	
		\$184.98

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## BOOKS ADDED TO THE LIBRARY

### Fiction

Author	Title
Aldrich .....	Song of Years
Alden .....	Action at Aquilla
Bailey .....	Tomorrow's Promise
Bayd .....	Long Hunt
Bridge .....	Enchanter's Nightshade
Brown .....	Escape
Burt .....	Powder River
Cronin .....	Citadel
Deeping .....	Bridge of Desire*
Deeping .....	House of Spies
Deeping .....	Malice of Men
Du Maurier .....	Rebecca
Dunlap .....	Encore to Love

Farnol .....	Crooked Furrow
Field .....	All this and Heaven too
Flint .....	Deacon's road
Forbes .....	General's Lady
Forrester .....	Ship of Line
Goudge .....	City of Bells
Goudge .....	Towers in the Mist
Hancock .....	Blood of her Ancestors
Hallet .....	Rolling World
Harris .....	Trumpets at Dawn
Hauck .....	Chan Osborn's Wife
Hichens .....	First Lady Brandon*
Holton .....	Once Beyond the Reef
John .....	Crippled Splendor
Kray .....	And Tell of Time
Lincoln .....	A. Hall and Co
Loring .....	High of Heart
Loring .....	Today is Yours
Masefield .....	Dead Ned
Mason .....	Three Harbors
Norris .....	Margaret Yorke*
Oppenheim .....	Colossus of Arcadia*
Packard .....	More Knaves Than One
Priestly .....	Doomsday Men
Raine .....	On the Dodge
Rawling .....	Yearling
Rosman .....	Unfamiliar Faces
Sharpe .....	Nutmeg Tree
Simpson .....	Under Capricorn
Smith .....	Dead Go Overside
Smith .....	Sword and the Rose
Stebbins .....	Summer Hostess
Swanson .....	Forbidden Ground
Williams .....	Strumpet Sea
Wren .....	Cardboard Castle
Wynne .....	Choose from the Stars
Young .....	Celia*
* Gift	

### Non-Fiction

Aiken .....	Speaking from Vermont
Hoover .....	Persons in Hiding
Kent .....	The Hooked Rug
Lindberg .....	Listen, the Wind
Roberts .....	March to Quebec

### Juvenile

Alden .....	Why the Chimes Rang
Leaf .....	Story of Ferdinand
McCay .....	Jupy the Cat
Salten .....	Perri

# SCHOOL WARRANT

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the Inhabitants of the School District of the town of Hampton Falls, N. H., qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14th day of March 1939, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees, in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To see if the district will raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 dollars for the transportation of the High School pupils.
10. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing year.

11. And to transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Town this 16th day of February 1939.

JAMES W. ELTON,  
BLANCHE T. BATCHELDER,  
EDWIN L. JANVRIN,  
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JAMES W. ELTON,  
BLANCHE T. BATCHELDER,  
EDWIN L. JANVRIN,  
School Board.



# SCHOOLS

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## BUDGET FOR SCHOOL YEAR

1939-1940

Salary of District Officers	\$80.00	
Superintendent's salary	87.50	
Expenses of Administration	75.00	
Teachers salaries (Art & Music incl'd)	2,200.00	
Text Books	125.00	
School Census	4.00	
School Supplies	100.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	5.00	
Janitor Service	135.00	
Fuel	125.00	
Light and Janitor's Supplies	50.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	75.00	
Medical Inspection	120.00	
Transportation	1,772.00	
Tuition	3,450.00	
Insurance	75.00	
Per Capita Tax	182.00	
Treasurer's Bond	5.00	
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		\$8,665.50
Surplus		665.50
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Total to Raise and Appropriate		\$8,000.00

TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS  
AND EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938

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RECEIPTS

Balance on hand July 1, 1937	\$532.59	
Received from Town Treasurer	9,224.57	
Hampton Academy & High School		
refund	43.68	
School Dist. of Seabrook, Share of		
Union Supper	7.34	
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		\$9,808.18

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EXPENDITURES

**Administration:**

Salaries	\$80.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	87.50	
School census	4.00	
Expenses of Administration	68.00	
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		\$239.50

**Instruction:**

Teachers' salaries	\$1,962.00	
Text Books	82.65	
School supplies	99.68	
Other expenses of instruction	168.00	
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		\$2,312.33

**Operation and Maintenance:**

Flags	\$ 3.10
Janitor service	132.50
Fuel	159.82
Lights and Janitor's supplies	23.86
Repairs and expenses	127.55

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\$446.83

**Auxiliary Agencies and Special****Activities:**

Medical Inspection	\$187.45
Transportation	2,232.80
High School and Academy tuition	1,329.12
Elementary school tuition	1,212.92

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\$4,962.29

**Fixed Charges:**

Insurance	\$71.92
Per Capita Tax	170.00

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\$241.92

**Outlay for Construction****and Equipment:**

New Equipment	\$13.57
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\$13.57

Balance in Exeter Banking Co.  
June 30, 1938

\$1,591.74

## SCHOOL BOARD'S DETAILED REPORT ON EXPENDITURES

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### **Salaries:**

E. L. Janvrin, chairman of school board	\$25.00	
Blanche T. Batchelder, member of school board	15.00	
J. W. Elton, member of school board	15.00	
Louis B. Janvrin, school treasurer	25.00	
		\$80.00

### **Superintendent's Excess Salary:**

J. W. Rand	\$87.50	
		\$87.50

### **School Census:**

Blanche Batchelder	\$4.00	
		\$4.00

### **Expenses of Administration:**

Roy W. Gillmore, Clerk and Office Expenses	\$28.00	
Hampton School District, Office Rent	35.00	
J. H. Page, Treasurer's Bond	5.00	
		\$68.00

### **Teachers' Salaries:**

Arline Yeaton	\$1,000.00	
Myriel Angwin	950.00	
Elizabeth Merrill	12.00	
		\$1,962.00

**Text Books:**

Elementary	\$82.65	
	<hr/>	\$82.65

**School Supplies:**

Elementary	\$99.68	
	<hr/>	\$99.68

**Other Expenses of Instruction:**

George Wilson, Music Teacher	\$108.00	
Janice Newton, Art Teacher	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$168.00

**Flags and Appurtenances:**

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$3.10	
	<hr/>	\$3.10

**Janitor Service:**

Wm. Hunter, Janitor	\$132.50	
	<hr/>	\$132.50

**Fuel:**

E. L. Janvrin, Wood	\$7.00	
L. H. Janvrin, Wood	35.00	
Paul Batchelder, Wood	31.50	
Russell Merrill, Coal	86.32	
	<hr/>	\$159.82

**Lights and Janitor Supplies:**

Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co.	\$15.00	
Hygiene Laboratories	8.86	
	<hr/>	\$23.86

**Repairs and Expenses:**

Victoria Scoons, Cleaning	\$13.00
Wm. Hunter, Repairs	.75
E. L. Janvrin, Repairs	2.00
Edward E. Babb & Co., Grater and Supplies	26.35
A. W. Elkins, clearing yard	7.00
W. A. Young, hardware	.75
A. W. Brown, repairs	2.50
Paul Batchelder, gravelling roadway	63.20
J. H. Thurlow, cleaning tanks	12.00

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\$127.55

**Medical Inspection:**

Dorothy Lindsey, District Nurse	\$187.45
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\$187.45

**Transportation:**

A. Lantz, Elementary	900.00
E. L. Janvrin, High	359.10
E. L. Janvrin, Jr. High	846.00
James Morrison	26.85
Myron L. Brown	22.35
John Fogg	22.95
Bertha Graves	28.25
Willis Brown	27.30

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\$2,232.80

**High School and Academy Tuition:**

Exeter High	\$80.00
Robinson Seminary	128.00
Amesbury High	255.00
Hampton School District	508.64
Hampton Academy	272.48
Newburyport	85.00

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\$1,329.12

**Elementary School Tuition:**

Hampton School School District	\$1,187.92	
Robinson Seminary	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,212.92

**Insurance:**

Ray Pike, bus insurance	\$71.92	
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**Per Capita Tax:**

State Treasurer	\$170.00	
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**New Equipment:**

Betty Merrill, victrola	\$5.00	
N. P. Tobey, first aid supplies	3.65	
Horace Partridge, nets	4.16	
S. A. Dow	.76	
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		\$9,808.18

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

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To the School Board of Hampton Falls:

I herewith submit to you my ninth report as superintendent of your schools:

The enrollment in our schools, which increased from thirty-eight in 1930 to a Fall enrollment of fifty-two during the past year, holds the increase this September with an enrollment of fifty-five. A decrease in the number of children attending the lower grades, is reported as a general trend throughout the United States as a whole. This seems not to be true in the coast towns of New Hampshire. The registration in the primary room ( the first three grades) during each of the past five years has varied between twenty-five in the year 1932 and thirty in the year 1934. The pupil list of the past year was twenty-eight as is that of this Fall.

The pupils of Hampton Falls are securing a more complete education than in previous years. While we are not neglecting and never shall neglect, the fundamentals of Reading, Writing and Arithmetic, a real training for modern life demands a rounded program. This is the reason for employing, in conjunction with other towns of the Union, a teacher of Music and a teacher of Art. When employed under this arrangement the cost is small and the returns very satisfactory since completely qualified teachers can be hired.

Mr. Wendell Hawkins, a graduate of the Music Supervisors Course of the Keene Normal School, is in charge of the music instruction. He is accomplishing results that are a source of satisfaction to the School Board and, I am sure, to the parents of Hampton Falls. He understands the pupils of our lower grades and the best methods of working with them. It is of great value that he and the



two teachers were trained at the same institution and therefore use the same methods of procedure.

Miss Newton is continuing her work of last year in developing in our pupils the love of the beautiful and the power of critical observation. While it is not the purpose of the work to develop skilled artists, yet hitherto unknown abilities of above average caliber are frequently discovered. As means for future avocation or even as a pleasurable use of future leisure time I believe the course well worth while to the children of our town.

The division of the Hampton Falls school dollar during part of each dollar which was spent for each of the items on the books of the School Board. While these figures are correct they cannot well be compared, as herein stated, with those of most other towns since the entire elementary education is not offered in Hampton Falls. The heaviest item is tuition which accounts for practically thirty-one cents of each dollar expended. This is caused by the fact that our seventh and eighth grade attend other schools. If this were not so, we would find the tuition costs considerably lessened and the teachers' salaries and operating costs correspondingly increased. This same situation also results in instruction and operating costs for our children appearing as transportation.

The records show that but 52.89 cents of each school dollar is spent in maintaining our local school. This include 23.89 cents for teachers' salaries, 1.01 and 1.21 cents respectively for text books and scholars' supplies and approximately two cents each for medical inspection, fuel and state tax. The other items are small and listed herewith.

How the school dollar is divided:

Salaries of district officers	\$00.0097
Superintendent's salary	.0106
Expense of Administration	.0083
Teachers' salaries	.2389

Text books	.0101
the school year 1937-1938 follows. The table shows that	
Scholars' supplies	.0121
Other expense of instruction	.0204
Janitor service	.0161
Fuel	.0195
Water, light and janitor's supplies	.0029
Minor repairs	.0155
Medical inspection	.0228
Transportation	.2717
High school tuition	.1618
Elementary tuition	.1476
Per capita tax	.0207
Insurance and other fixed charges	.0088
New equipment, census and flags	.0025

There never was a time when children, smaller or larger, faced greater safety hazards than they do today. The age of machinery forces even the young child to meet the problem of safety before he has time to comprehend it. At the earliest ages it is important that the child be taught how to avoid dangers, dangers in the home, at play, at work and especially on the highway. The time has come when we especially, who live near the Lafayette Highway must make safety teaching a regularly scheduled subject of the curriculum. Little "workbooks" and primers are now being developed. We believe it possible to develop in even the primary child, habits of safety consciousness throughout his life. I recommend that, as soon as available, texts in safety be adopted as regular readers in our schools. This work has been done informally by the teachers of the nation during the past few years. This is responsible, in great part, for the fact that accidental deaths among children are decreasing in number. A regularly organized course would, we believe, produce greater results.

The accomplishment of a school is often judged by the work of its graduates when they attend advanced grades. Using this as a basis, we may state that our teachers are obtaining most satisfactory results. The schools report uniformly satisfactory preparation. Hampton Falls school is a successful school.

The report of the school nurse is printed herewith. Mrs. Lindsey is an earnest and efficient employee of the district. Her report of her stewardship will be of interest to all parents.

May I again express my appreciation to the school board of Hampton Falls for advice and hearty cooperation given me in the work of the past year.

Respectfully submitted

ROY W. GILLMORE,

Superintendent of Schools.

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#### REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

The following is the annual physical examination report of June 1938 conducted by Dr. Coleman, assisted by the school nurse.

Number of pupils examined	50
Not present	2
Underweight	14
Defective vision	3
Corrected	5
Nervous condition	1
Defective teeth	7
Corrected	2
Defective tonsils	12
Corrected	1
Adenoids	5
Corrected	1

Enlarged glands	4
Contagious diseases during the year:	
Scarlet fever	1
Measles	39
Whooping cough	20
Number of children vaccinated	50
Unvaccinated	2
Number of visits made to homes	197
Number of school visits	40
Number of interviews	20

Special visits are made to school if any contagious disease is present, so that the children may be examined for symptoms. Daily inspection visits were made for two weeks in April during the measles epidemic and again in June for scarlet fever.

First aid supplies and a first aid cabinet were placed in the school during the year.

Four children were taken to Newburyport for eye examinations. The Hampton Falls branch of the American Red Cross very generously contributed toward medical services in the school.

Dr. Merle Straw examined the teeth of all school children and an estimate of each child's work was given to the parents. The clinic was started October 19, 1938 and children were transported to and from the clinic by the school nurse. Whist parties have been held during the winter months by the teachers, the proceeds going to sponsor the clinic. At the present time we have completed the work on twenty-four pupils, which consists of 102 silver fillings, 19 cleanings, 23 temporary extractions. There are still 19 children to receive treatment.

In closing, I wish at this time to thank the School Board, Mr. Gillmore, the Teachers and the Parents for their splendid cooperation in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY E. LINDSEY, R. N.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER  
FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938

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SUMMARY

Cash on hand June 30, 1937	
Treasurer's bank balance	\$ 532.59
Received from selectmen,	
appropriations for current year	\$9,184.50
dog tax	40.07
Received from all other sources	51.02
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	\$9,275.59
Total amount available for fiscal year	
(Balance and receipts)	\$9,808.18
Less School Board Orders Paid	\$8,216.44
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1938	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$1,591.74
	LOUIS B. JANVRIN,
	District Treasurer.

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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hampton Falls, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938 and find them correct in all respects.

ARTHUR W. CHASE,  
LAURENCE E. WADLEIGH,  
WALTER W. COMBS.

Auditors.

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

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Oct. 1, 1937 Hampton Academy and High School	\$43.68
Oct. 1, 1937 Town of Hampton Falls, Appropriation	200.00
Nov. 1, 1937 Town of Hampton Falls, Appropriation	800.00
Dec. 7, 1937 Town of Hampton Falls, Appropriation	1,200.00
Jan. 3, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Appropriation	200.00
Jan. 31, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Appropriation	1,500.00
Feb. 1, 1938 School Dist. of Seabrook, Share of Union supper	7.34
Mar. 8, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Appro.	500.00
Apr. 1, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Appro.	500.00
May 5, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Appro.	1,000.00
June 6, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Appro.	400.00
June 30, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Balance of Appropriation	2,884.50
June 30, 1938 Town of Hampton Falls, Dog tax	40.07

## SCHOOL CENSUS, SEPTEMBER 1938

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Number of children in public schools in district	54
Number attending High School (5-16) out of district	7
Number attending elementary school (5-16) out of district	23
Number children not in any school (5-16)	12
Total number children accounted for in district	96

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## SUMMARY 1937-1938

Value of buildings and sites	\$9,000.00
Value of equipment	1,500.00
Average salary of teachers	1,000.00
Visits by school board members	16
Visits by superintendent	54
Visits by citizens	59
Total number of school days	174

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## ATTENDANCE HONOR ROLL

John Meyer

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## HAMPTON FALLS PUPILS

Attending School in Other Towns Whose Tuition is  
paid by the District

Robinson Seminary—Elaine Felker, Janice Felker.

Exeter High School—Carl Meyer.

Amesbury High School—Hubert Brown, George Fogg.

Newburyport High School—Helen Poznek, William  
Graves, Charles Akerman.

Seabrook Academy—Austin Fogg, Clarence Ladd.

Hampton Academy—Louis Merrill, Merle Straw, Esther Thurlow, Robert Batchelder, Dorice Elkins, Theodore Janvrin, Donald Janvrin, Russell Merrill, June Straw, Richard Thacker, Harriet Thurlow.

Hampton Junior High School—Laura Elkins, Caroline Merrill, Margaret Ste. Marie, Follis Wall, Benjamin Bailey, Gerald Batchelder, Raymond Binette, Alan Edgerly, Mary Elkins, Marilla MacConnell, Maurine Perkins, Charles Pevear, Jeanette Binette, Fannie Gile, Arlene Inglis, Catherine Perkins, Eldred Straw, Alfred Young.

#### SCHOOL STATISTICS, 1937-1938

##### ATTENDANCE

Teacher, School, Grade	Av. Memb.	No. Tardy	% of Attend.	Attend. Roll of Honor
Myriel Angwin, Primary 1-3	28	14	89	0
Arlene Yeaton, Interm. 4-6	22	14	90	1
Music—George Wilson				
Total or Average	50	28	89	1

##### PROMOTIONS, JUNE 1938

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Promoted	10	8	12	6	10	8	54
Not Promoted	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Average Ages	6.3	7.6	8.2	9.6	10.9	12.0	

##### ENROLLMENT, FALL TERM 1938

Teacher, School, Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Myriel Angwin, Primary	8	10	10				28
Arlene Yeaton, Interm.				11	6	10	27
Wendell Hawkins, Music							
Totals	8	10	10	11	6	10	55



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# Vital Statistics

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# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HAMPTON

Date of Birth  1938	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex & Condition					Name of Father
			Male	Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child	Color	
Apr. 1	Hampton Falls, N. H.	Patricia A. Littlefield		F	L	4	W	Carlton L. Littlefield
May 19	Portsmouth, N. H.	Carol Anne Regan		F	L	2	W	Thomas J. Regan
July 16	Newburyport, Mass.	Catherine L. Newcomb		F	L	1	W	Clarence V. Newcomb
Aug. 3	Exeter, N. H.	Bernard I. Pevear	M		L	1	W	William H. Pevear
Aug. 20	Portsmouth, N. H.	Robert P. Hanscom	M		L	3	W	Allan F. Hanscom
Dec. 18	Exeter, N. H.	Arlene C. Grant		F	L	2	W	Harold I. Grant

# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HAMPTON

Date of Death  1938	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	AGE			Place of Birth	Sex & Condition			
			Years	Mos.	Days		Male	Female	Color	Mar., or Widowed
Jan. 12	Exeter, N. H.	Elmer A. Jones	76	10	2	Hampton Falls	M		W	M
April 27	No. Hampton	John Cannon	83	8	5	Scotland	M		W	W
July 8	Hampton Falls	David B. Collins	62	9	14	Hampton Falls	M		W	M
Dec. 1	Hampton Falls	Charles H. Pearson	61	6	16	Hamptstead, N. H.	M		W	S

FALLS, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938.

Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Barbara E. Eaton Marion Thompson Caroline Thurlow Alvina L. Rock Frances V. Prest Ethel R. Durant	WHITE	Hampton Falls Hampton Falls Hampton Falls Hampton Falls Hampton Falls	Shoe Worker Shoe Cutter Gas Sta. Att. L'b'r Mill W'k'r Coast Guard Dairyman	Seabrook, N. H. Newburyport, Mass. Everett, Mass. Hampton Falls, N. H. Machias, Me. Exeter, N. H.	Seabrook, N. H. Melrose, Mass. Hampton Falls, N. H. Fremont, N. H. Boston, Mass. Salisbury, Mass.

FALLS, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938.

Occupation	Place of Birth of Father	Place of Birth of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Blacksmith	Seabrook, N. H.	Durham, N. H.	John F. Jones	Eliza Johnson
Farmer	Scotland	Scotland	Aaron Cannon	
Retired	Salisbury, Mass.	Seabrook, N. H.	Jacob B. Collins	Lorana F. Brown
Iron Worker	Gilmanton, N. H.	Sandown, N. H.	Edmund Pearson	Susan H. Griffin

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HAMPTON

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each in Yrs. Color of Each	Occupation of Groom and Bride
1938					
Mar. 16	Hampton Falls	Peter A. Grosso Cecelia M. Letendre	East Boston, Mass. Jamaica Plain, Mass.	30 W 18 W	Moulder Housework
April 11	Hampton Falls	Alexander J. Jaynes Mildred J. Close	Everett, Mass. Everett, Mass.	21 W 18 W	P. W. A. At home
May 26	Seabrook, N. H.	David B. Collins Mary Posniak	Hampton Falls, N. H. Travis, Staten I., N. Y.	62 W 27 W	Retired At home
May 26	Hampton, N. H.	William H. Howard Ethel F. Jodrie	Middleton, Mass. Salem, Mass.	45 W 46 W	Painter At home
May 28	Seabrook, N. H.	Carl I. Carlson Ruby E. Lane	Brighton, Mass. Boston, Mass.	31 W 29 W	Carpenter Nurse
May 28	Seabrook, N. H.	William J. Burke Mary F. Creagh	New York City, N. Y. Sunnyside, L. I., N. Y.	22 W 19 W	Office Worker At home
June 14	Seabrook, N. H.	Francis E. Burke Elinor M. MacMillan	Boston, Mass. Boston, Mass.	21 W 21 W	Truck Driver Nurse
June 18	Hampton Falls	Theddy J. Theriault Rosamund L. Belanger	Salem, Mass. Salem, Mass.	24 W 24 W	Painter General Maid
June 19	Hampton Falls	Howard W. Otis Katherine A. Sullivan	Roslindale, Mass. Dedham, Mass.	28 W 20 W	Electrician At home
June 25	Hampton Falls	Irving G. Morgan Ruth L. Smith	Rockland, Mass. Whitinsville, Mass.	31 W 29 W	Athletic Dir. Teacher
July 2	Hampton Falls	Gordon W. Knight Martha A. Thurlow	Marblehead, Mass. Hampton Falls, N. H.	26 W 20 W	Florist Housework
Aug. 20	Hampton Falls	Leonard A. McCue Mary E. Waldron	Dorchester, Mass. Boston, Mass.	20 W 21 W	Chauffeur Stenographer
Aug. 27	Hampton Falls	James D. Reeders Helen McCaffrey	San Diego, Calif. Roxbury, Mass.	38 W 30 W	Sailor, U. S. N. At home

FALLS, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938.

Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Condition: Single or Widowed, What mar- riage, 1st, 2d, etc.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
East Boston, Mass.	Rosario Grosso	Italy	Retired		James H. Brown
Jamaica Plains, Ms.	Louise Bembo	Italy	At home	S., W	Justice of the Peace
	Joseph Letendre	Unknown	Deceased	First	Hampton Falls
	Rose Enos	Lowell, Mass.	At home		
Chelsea, Mass.	Moses Jaynes	Newfoundland	Deceased		Rev. H. H. Benedict
East Boston, Mass.	Esther Parsons	Newfoundland	Housework	First	Clergyman
	John F. Close	East Boston, Mass.	Junk Business	First	Seabrook, N. H.
	Stella L. Green	East Boston, Mass.	At home		
	Jacob B. Collins	Salisbury, Mass.	Deceased		Ralph O. Bragg
Hampton Falls	Iorana F. Brown	Seabrook, N. H.	Deceased	S., W	Justice of the Peace
Brooklyn; N. Y.	Peter Posniak	Russia	Deceased	First	Seabrook, N. H.
	Antonina Shabunia	Russia	At home		
	Henry Howard	St. John, N. B.	Retired		Rev. Herbert Walker
St. John, N. B.	Ella McFadyen	St. John, N. B.	Deceased	S., D	Clergyman
Somersworth, N. H.	Charles W. Goodrich	Berwick, Me.	Deceased	S., D	Hampton, N. H.
	Carolina Jenness	Berwick, Me.	Deceased		
	Carl A. Carlson	Sweden	Jeweler		Ralph O. Bragg
Sweden	Charlotte N. Lind	Sweden	At home	First	Justice of the Peace
Kingfield, Me.	Fayette B. Lane	Anson, Me.	Painter	First	Seabrook, N. H.
	Mary A. Fields	Prince Edward I.	Housework		
	William H. Burke	New York City	Deceased		Ralph O. Bragg
New York City	Angeline R. Crocker	New York City	At home	First	Justice of the Peace
Buffalo, N. Y.	Henry F. Creagh	Buffalo, N. Y.	Deceased	First	Seabrook, N. H.
	Lillian E. Mense	Rochester, N. Y.	At home		
	John F. Burke	Ireland	Painter		Ralph O. Bragg
Boston, Mass.	Cecilia I. Stillman	Boston, Mass.	At home	First	Justice of the Peace
Boston, Mass.	Joseph A. MacMillan	Boston, Mass.	Deceased	First	Seabrook, N. H.
	Julia M. Keyes	Boston, Mass.	Deceased		
	Alfred Theriault	Canada	Painter		James H. Brown
Salem, Mass.	Philomene Beaulieu	Canada	At home	First	Justice of the Peace
Beverly, Mass.	Ephram G. Belanger	Canada	Machinist	First	Hampton Falls
	Helena Harel	Canada	At home		
	Harry L. Otis	Portsmouth, N. H.	Police Officer		James H. Brown
Plymouth, Mass.	Clara N. Hemmerly	Plymouth, Mass.	At home	First	Justice of the Peace
Dedham, Mass.	Thomas Sullivan	Ireland	Retired	First	Hampton Falls
	Catherine E. Rogers	Dedham, Mass.	Deceased		
	John Morgan	New York City	Deceased		Rev. D. B. Weymouth
Worcester, Mass.	May Goodnow	Millbury, Mass.	At home	S., D	Clergyman
Whitinsville, Mass.,	Alfred M. Smith	Pittsburgh, Penn.	Retired	First	Hampton Falls
	Jeanne B. Hayes	New York City	At home		
	Charles F. Knight	Middleton, Mass.	W. P. A.		Rev. D. B. Weymouth
Marblehead, Mass.	Grace M. Gorman	Marblehead, Mass.	At home	First	Clergyman
Exeter, N. H.	James H. Thurlow	Newburyport, Mass.	Farmer	First	Hampton Falls
	Lillian M. Crosby	Hampton Falls	At home		
	Leonard A. McCue	Attleboro, Mass.			James H. Brown
Taunton, Mass.,	Rose C. Hollis	Taunton, Mass.	At home	First	Justice of the Peace
Boston, Mass.	Thomas H. Waldron	Ireland	Gas Sta. Att.	First	Hampton Falls
	Annie Holland	Ireland	At home		
	Issaac N. Reeders	Pittsburgh, Tex.	Retired		James H. Brown
Pittsburgh, Texas	Bessie E. Wray	Pittsburgh, Tex.	At home	First	Justice of the Peace
Boston, Mass.	Joseph McCaffrey	Italy	Retired	First	Hampton Falls
	Teresa Gianberiesi	Italy	At home		

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each in Yrs. Color of Each	Occupation of Groom and Bride
1938					
Sept. 9	Hampton Falls	Frank R. Walton Thelma A. Burditt	Seabrook, N. H. Seabrook, N. H.	22 W 16 W	R. R. Trackman At home
Sept. 21	Stratham, N. H.	Clarence E. Smith Alice M. Currier	Hampton Falls, N. H. Hampton Falls, N. H.	39 W 27 W	Farmer At home
Sept. 29	Hampton Falls	Herbert A. Gemeroy Irene M. Hart	Saskatchewan, Can. Hartford, Conn.	32 W 27 W	Salesman At home
Oct. 1	Hampton Falls	Everett W. Clark Margaret L. Cram	Newburyport, Mass. Hampton Falls, N. H.	32 W 28 W	Carpenter Stenographer
Dec. 11	Hampton Falls	Harold A. Mohr P. Louise Putnam	Jersey City, N. J. Hampton Falls, N. H.	27 W 27 W	Brokerage Clk. Graduate Nurse

Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Condition: Single or Widowed. What mar- riage, 1st, 2d, etc.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
Seabrook, N. H. Lawrence, Mass.	William S. Walton Mabel T. Dow William T. Burditt Frances Longden	Hampton Falls Seabrook, N. H. Springfield, Mass. Manchester, Eng.	Farmer Deceased Truck Driver At home	First First	Rev. H. H. Benedict Clergyman Seabrook, N. H.
Sullivan, N. H. Hampton Falls	George D. Smith Ellen M. Wilcox Herbert E. Currier Abbie A. Pevear	Sullivan, N. H. Deerfield, Mass. Newburyport, Mass. Hampton Falls	Deceased At home Baker At home	First First	Rev. C. A. Parker Clergyman Stratham, N. H.
Winchester, Can. Hinsdale, N. H.	Joseph Gemeroy Isabel Frazer Edward J. Hart Adelina Dauphinias	Dublin, Ireland Port Austin, Mich. Canada Canada	Retired At home Deceased Deceased	First First	James H. Brown Justice of the Peace Hampton Falls
W. Newbury, Mass. Exeter, N. H.	Charles C. Clark Eva G. Dwinnells William E. Cram Esther L. Sanborn	Methuen, Mass. Groveland, Mass. Hampton Falls Hampton Falls	Sawyer Deceased Farmer At home	First First	Rev. R. S. Hoagland Clergyman Exeter, N. H.
New York City New Ipswich, N. H.	William G. Mohr Pauline Arnold Daniel E. Putnam Edith L. Powers	New York City New York City New Ipswich, N. H. Lancaster, Mass.	Deceased At home Farmer At home	First First	Rev. D. B. Weymouth Clergyman Hampton Falls











